IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

SYLVIA DIFFENDERFER, ROBERT McCARROLL,

Plaintiffs, on behalf of themselves and as representatives of the class herein defined

VS.

RAMON E. GOMEZ-COLON, individually and in his official capacity as President of the State Electoral Commission of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

Defendants

Civil No: 08-1918 (JAF)

CLASS ACTION FOR:

CIVIL RIGHTS, DECLARATORYJUDGMENT, INJUNCTIVE RELIEF, AND NOMINAL DAMAGES

NOTICE OF APPEAL¹

TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

COME NOW the plaintiffs, Silvia Diffenderfer, Robert McCarroll, and the class they represent, through the undersigned counsel, and very respectfully **SET FORTH** and **PRAY**:

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1291, the appearing plaintiffs appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit from the following:

- 1. The Courtøs April, 1 2009 *Opinion and Order* (Dkt. Doc. #100) granting in part Plaintiffs *Motion for Attorney Fees* (Dock. Doc. #81).
- 2. The Court

 April 24, 2009 Opinion & Order (Dkt. Doc. #107) denying in part Plaintiffs Motion for Reconsideration (Dkt. Doc. #103).

¹ This is actually a cross-appeal. See Dkt. Doc. No. 108.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that this document has been filed with the Courtos CM/ECF System, which will serve notice on all counsels of record, to their e-mail addresses of record.

Respectfully submitted in Guaynabo, Puerto Rico this May 7th, 2009.

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